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MISSOULA--

Hoping to rebound from losses to Washington State University and Eastern Washington State College, the University of Montana Womens Volleyball team travels to Moscow, Idaho for a possible rematch Friday Nov. 5. The tournament is called the Eastern Area Tournament and schools from eastern Oregon, eastern Washington, Idaho and Montana will attend.

Last weekend the University number one team lost to WSU 15-13, 11-15, 16-14. They lost to EWSC 15-10, 15-13. The two losses were their first of the year. Montana's second team also dropped its matches over the weekend.

The meet begins at 6 p.m. Friday and runs all day Saturday. With 12-14 schools expected the teams will be divided into A and B divisions. Each school's number one team will be in the A division and number two teams in the B division. The plan is to schedule a round robin affair and the team with the best record will be named the champion.

Montana coach Jodi Leslie feels the results will determine the Montana team's chances of a repeat trip to the Nationals. "We must win this weekend to counter the effect of last weekend's defeats," said Miss Leslie. "In all likelihood we will get another chance to play WSU and EWSC unless there is a large number of schools attending. If more than 12 schools per division they will have to divide into sub-divisions."

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